AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity) Docket No. Applicant(s): Donald H. Stowe, Jr. and Ward S. Blakefield 030035 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. 09961 10/756,956 January 14, 2004 Kenneth B. Rinehart 3749 3775 Invention: Method for Reducing the Amount of a Pollutant in a Flue Gas Resulting from the Combustion of a Fossil Fuel **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. CLAIMS AS AMENDED **CLAIMS REMAINING** HIGHEST # NUMBER EXTRA ADDITIONAL RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR CLAIMS PRESENT FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 22 20 \$25.00 \$50.00 2 Х 2 3 INDEP. CLAIMS = 0 х \$100.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) \$50.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT □ No additional fee is required for amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: 4-1-05 I hereby certify that these documents are being deposited on April 1, 2005 with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post John C. Thomas III (Reg. No. 52,282) Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 and is Paul A. Beck & Associates, P.C. addressed to Mall Stop: Amendment, Commissioner for 1575 McFarland Road, Suite 100 Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15216-1808 April 1, 2005 Phone: (412) 343-9700 / Fax: (412) 343-5787 Date Customer No. 09961 EV487235229US Express Mailing Label No. Lisa Engel Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence CC:

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